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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Alain Cadieux

Appl. No. : 09/475,072

Filed : December 30, 1999

Title : USE OF CALCITONIN GENE-RELATED PEPTIDE IN THE PREVENTION AND ALLEVIATION OF ASTHMA AND RELATED BRONCHOSPASTIC PULMONARY DISEASE

Grp. Art Unit : 1644

Examiner : Patrick J. Nolan

Docket No. : 032931/0218

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

This letter is filed in response to the FINAL ACTION dated February 26, 2002, and further to the telephone interview of Joy Morrow and Serge Shahinian with Examiner Nolan on October 4, 2001 and the telephone interview of Serge Shahinian with Examiner Nolan on December 11, 2001. The amendments submitted below supersede the amendments filed August 14 and November 14, 2001 (in respect of the parent application), which have not been entered.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please delete claims 3, 9 to 20 and 22 to 26.

Please amend claims 4, 6, 7 and 21 as follows: